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In re application of:

Manthorpe et al.

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Sir:

The above-captioned application is no longer entitled to small entity status. This notification is being filed prior to paying, or at the time of paying, the issue fee.

Respectfully submitted,

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